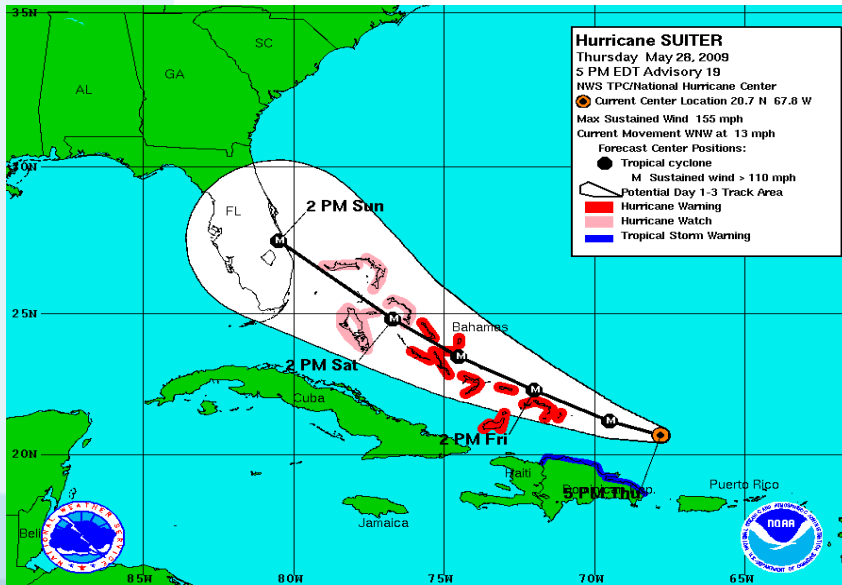


A System within a System: Emergency Preparedness

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2010 Hurricane Season Predictions



- **Tropical Named Storms:**
 - Dr. Gray - 15
 - Tropics Risk Center (UK) - 16
- **Hurricanes:**
 - Dr. Gray - 8
 - Tropical Risk Center (UK) - 8
- **Major Hurricanes:**
 - Dr. Gray - 4
 - Tropical Risk Center (UK) - 4

National Weather Service (NWS)
 Forecast Available May 20th

"It Only Takes One." Max Mayfield

Debris Update



- District has three levels of debris contracts:
 - Clean up contractors
 - Debris haulers (cradle to grave)
 - Debris management (Tier III)
- District employees manage:
 - Debris oversight & inspection
 - Debris estimates
 - FEMA reimbursements
- Debris training for employees
- Debris sites available & approved
- FEMA approved debris plan

2010 Hurricane Freddy Exercise



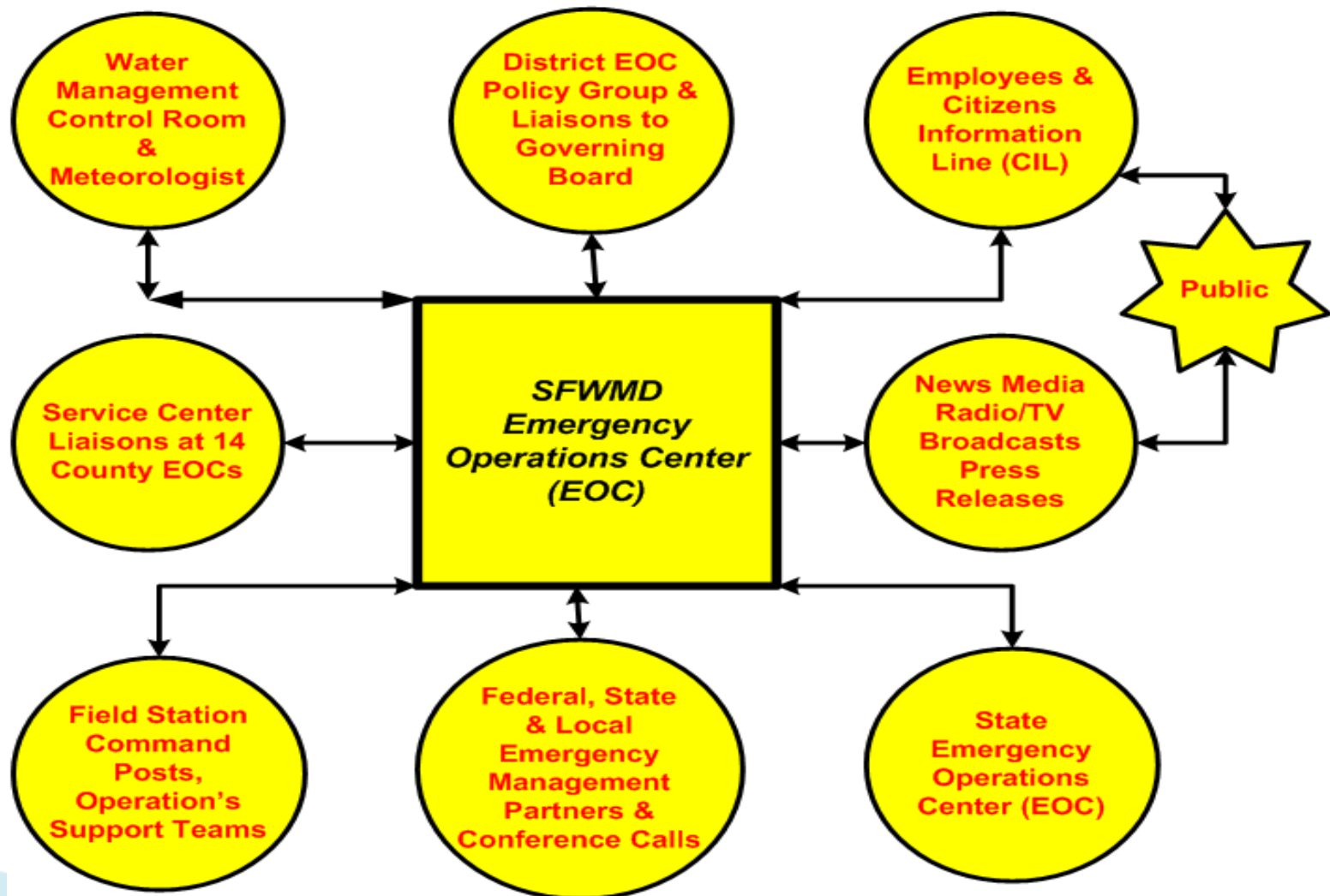
- EOC activation - Wednesday, June 2nd from 8:00am until 4:30pm (shift change at noon)
- Scenario will involve a CAT 2 wind event with significant rain fall throughout our service area
- Full scale exercise with full participation from all field stations, service centers, headquarters, District support teams and partner agencies

New Information Management Software Will Be Tested & Evaluated



- Replaced EM Tracker with a new software known as WebEOC
- Software is internet based-Virtual EOC
- Provides situational awareness throughout our 16-county service area; all information updated immediately and provides a real-time operational picture

“Real Time” Interoperability: Information Management



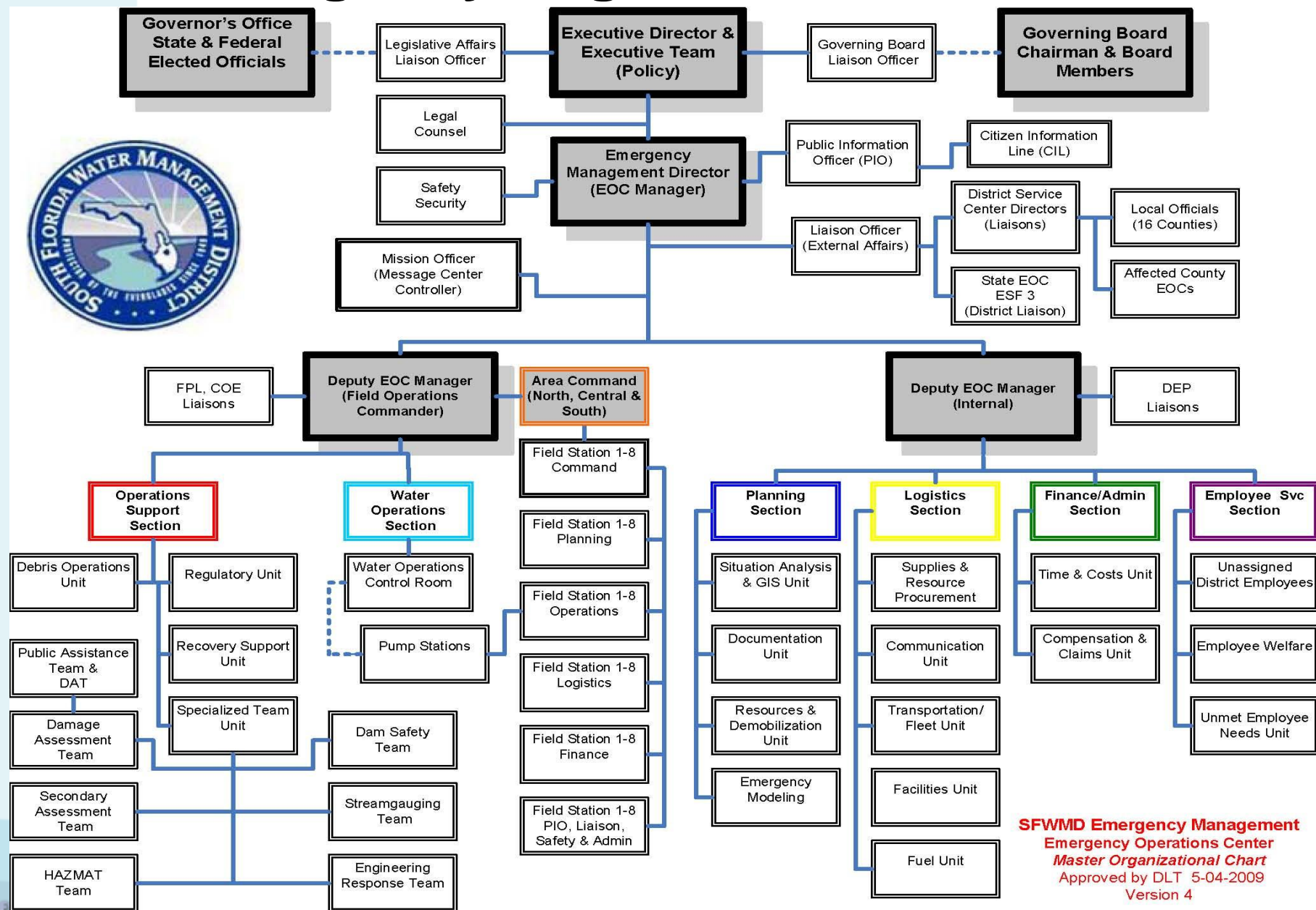
Day-to-Day Transitions to Emergency Role



- Everyone at the District has an emergency role
- Comprehensive emergency management plan identifies emergency roles and responsibilities
- Each department/division has emergency procedures in place
- New District emergency notification procedures now in place



Emergency Organizational Chart



Our Best Resource Is Our Employees



- Employees must be prepared to report to work when needed
- Required to review department Standard Operations Procedures and know their emergency role
- Encouraged to update family emergency plan (include pets & persons with special needs)
- Encouraged to stock up on emergency supplies for 72 hours
- Update emergency contact information with their supervisor



“All Hazards Approach” Used For Emergency Management & Homeland Security...We Are Prepared!



Deepwater Horizon “Oil Spill” Incident



- Federal Activities
- State Activities
- Local Activities
- SFWMD Activities

Questions?



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